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Dear Art:

Through Walter Elder I learned that you are retiring on June 30th. I congratulate you on having completed your tour of duty. However, I am sure that the Agency and the entire government will miss you and will probably call you back because of your very special knowledge and competence in the areas of your concern.

Working with you was always a great pleasure for me - I have the greatest respect for your ability, your imagination and the precision of your analyses and reports. You should leave the Agency and the government with a great feeling of pride in your accomplishments and your very great contribution.

Again, Art, my congratulations and my best wishes.

Yours most sincerely,

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Mr. Walter Elder